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SUBJECT: AUSTRALIAN RESPONSE ON BERN PROCESS JOINT/PARALLEL
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Classified By: Acting Political Counselor John Crowley, reasons 1.4 (b)
and (d).

11. (C) Poloff delivered reftel demarche request August 16 to Rachel White, Acting Branch Chief in the Human Rights and Indigenous Issues Section of DFAT,s International Organizations Division. She noted that the GOA would raise the issues separately, as part of their follow-up with the Chinese after the Australia-China Human Rights Dialogue.

12. (C) White noted that Australia had already taken up the issues of Chen Guangcheng,s family and defense lawyer Gao Zhisheng.
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